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DAVID W. HARRIS, Proprietor.
COLONIST BUILDING—Government Street, 1st Door
North or the Custom House.

TERMS—INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST—Per Year, (subject to Postage), \$10.
Parts of a Year at the same Rate.
Per Week (if delivered), 25 Cents.
THE WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST—Per Year (Postage paid to any part of the Province), \$5.
Parts of a Year at the same Rate.
Liberal Discounts to Clubs.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

ANGEL HOTEL,
LANCLET STREET,
LATE BAILEY'S
CHARLES MORTON, PROPRIETOR.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS
having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit the continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded his predecessor.

The Scale of Charges:
Board and Lodging per Week, \$6 00
do do per Day, 1 00
Board per Week, 5 00
Single Meals, 25 Cts.
The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
A Fireproof Safe in the House. au29 dwt

Colonial Hotel and Restaurant,

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA B.C.

THE UNDERSTANDING HAVING PURCHASED
this Colonial Hotel and Restaurant, will spare no effort to keep the establishment in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
LUGAS & RIDON Proprietors.

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,

STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISCARD
Victoria, B.C.

Andrew Astrico, Proprietor.

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN
Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European Plan. The Table is supplied with the very best market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, \$5 50 to \$6 00; Board and Lodging per Day, \$1 Single Meals, 25 Cts; Beds, 50 Cts.
Liquors—Cash in advance.
A Fireproof Safe in the House. au13 3m

BAGNALL'S Piano & Music Store,

19 FORT STREET.

PIANOS MADE TO ORDER EX-
actly for the climate. Piano for sale, hire and exchange. Harmoniums suitable for Church, School or Parlor.

Music Stools, a large assortment; Cantorburies, What Notes, Conchard's, Book and Sheet Music, best Roman Violin Strings.

Memo. Anna Bishop's "Learning to Walk." Price, 50 Cts.
N.B.—All Pianos purchased at this establishment are warranted and kept in tune 12 months free of charge.

J. BAGNALL, Piano Manufacturer, Tuner and Repairer, 25 years' experience. jyl

PARKER'S MARKET,

S. W. COR. FORT & GOVERNMENT STS.

John Parker & Co.

BEG TO INFORM THE INHABITANTS
of Victoria and vicinity that they will open the above market on Friday next, August 22d, and intend to keep on hand a choice selection of

Stock, Meats of all kinds, and Vegetables.

Which they will offer at the VERY LOWEST RATES, and hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

Goods delivered Free of Charge. Hotels, Families and Shipping supplied at Short Notice. no19

W.K. LEAR,

DEALER IN

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

Wines, Liquors,

CLOTHING, MINERS' OUTFITS,

Fort Wrangell, Alaska Territory.

—AND—

BUCK'S BAR, STICKEEN RIVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA

IS PREPARED TO SUPPLY MINERS

with everything requisite.
Parties bound for the New Diggings, at Dease's Lake, will find a full supply of Goods at Victoria Rates. Freight added. au29

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN PUR-
suance of the provisions of "The Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," I shall issue, in the name of William Johnston, a duplicate Certificate of Title (in lieu of the original, which has been lost or destroyed) to all those certain pieces of land situated and being in Victoria West, being portion of Lot 99 (Ninety) in Block K, commencing at a point on Edward street, one hundred and twenty feet from the corner of Catherine street, running towards Catherine street forty feet; thence back towards the back of Lot Ninety; thence at right angles forty feet to the lower boundary of said Lot; thence at right angles to the point of commencement. As also, that Lot of Land fronting on Catherine street twenty-five feet by a depth of sixty feet, as the same is shown on the plan, annexed to the foregoing, dated 5th February, 1873, unless cause be shown to the contrary, within two months from the date hereof.

Land Registry Office, 16th Dec., 1873. H. B. W. AIKMAN, Registrar-General. do17

FOR SALE BY MRS. JAMIESON

Corner Broad and View streets,

SOLE AGENT FOR

BUTTERICK'S Celebrated PATTERNS

Of Every Description,

adapted to all ages, male and female. No family need be without them, as they will have saved her from all who use them. Every lady can be shown dressmaker. do3

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Insurance.

The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

GOVERNOR:
HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCKLEIGH AND
QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

DEPUTY GOVERNORS:
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES:
3 and 5 George Street, Edinburgh.
82 King William Street, London.
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E.
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Cunliffe Gregor.

Total Amount of Invested Funds,
£1,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.

AGENTS IN VICTORIA. ROBERT BURNABY,
je15 Government Street.

Imperial Fire Insurance COMPANY.

1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,

LONDON.

Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER
Buildings, Goods, Ware, Merchandise, Manu-
facturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor
or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships build-
ing or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable
rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels,
throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in Foreign
Countries, from loss or damage by Fire.

Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Mil-
lion Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of
Premium.

WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
And Washington Territory.

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Standard Life Assurance COMPANY.

Head Office, 3 and 5 George st., Edinburgh

LONDON 82 King William Street, and
3 Pall Mall East (West End Office).

Eighth Division of Profits.

THE REPORT of the investigation of the Company's a-
ffairs and Division of Profits as at 15th November,
1870, can be had on application at any of the Com-
pany's Branch Offices or Agents.

THE COMPANY has divided Profits on Eight occasions
since its establishment in 1825.

THE SHARES FUND divided among the policyholders
in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331,591 13s.
ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700,000.
INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £1,000,000.

ROBERT BURNABY
Agent, Victoria.

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Phoenix Fire Insurance COMPANY.

LOMBARD STREET AND CHANCING CROSS,

LONDON.

Established, 1782.

For Insuring every kind of Property

in all Parts of the World from

Loss or Damage by Fire.

THE PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY
with which its engagements are always met by this
Company are well known, and the importance of its
relations with the Public may be estimated from the
fact that since its establishment it has paid more than
Nine Millions Sterling in discharge of claims for Loss
by Fire.

The security offered to the Public by the Phoenix
Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large
invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of
numerous proprietors composed of some of the most
opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom.
Annual and short time Insurances are effected upon
all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British
Columbia on the most favorable terms.

Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all
losses and claims without referring to the Head Office
in London.

Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had on
application to THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent,
Government street opp. Masonic Hall

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THE UNION INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

MARINE.

Capital Stock - - - \$750,000.

For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Pro-
fits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium,
&c., &c., apply to

LOWE, STAHLSCHEIDT & Co.,
Agents.

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NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE Insurance Company.

Established, 1809.

CAPITAL, \$2,000,000 STERLING.

Accumulated Funds - - - \$3,236,126.

LOSSES SETTLED WITH

Promptitude and Liberality.

T. ALLSOP & Co., Agents,
Government street.

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CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION!

OF CANADA.

Head Office, Masonic Hall, Toronto.

CAPITAL - - - \$500,000.

Stock and Mutual Plans Combined.

Deposited with Dominion Government for Security of

Policyholders, \$50,000.

PRESIDENT—Sir Francis Hincks, K. C. M. G.
VICE PRESIDENTS—Hon. Wm. P. Howland, K. B.,
Hon. Wm. McMaster, President Canadian
Bank of Commerce.

Issued—Over 50 Policies first half-year.
This Association issues all the most approved forms
of Policies—all non-forfeiting by charter. Its principle
of non-forfeiture more favorable to assured than
that of any other company.

A strong company which combines strength of capital,
character and local influence and provides life in-
surance at the lowest safe rates without exclusive
promises of dividends, making a good dividend certain
by decreasing the premium.

By its organization it enables each policyholder to
deal with his own neighbors, stockholders in the com-
pany—men whom he knows well and to whom he is
willing to invest the resources of his funds
will be invested to develop the resources of his own
country and locality.

A company with capital and breadth enough to be
safe beyond question, with national extent and pre-
stige, and yet a home company throughout the Dominion.

WILLIAM McCABE,
General Manager, Toronto.

The fullest information will be cheerfully fur-
nished on application to
JOHN ROBERTSON, Government st., Victoria,
General Agent for British Columbia and Washington
Territory, oc22

Shipping.

Steamer Sr Jas. Douglas

WILL LEAVE VICTORIA ON TUESDAY
Morning, 22d inst., and return on Wednesday
evening the 23d.
Will leave Victoria on Tuesday morning, 29th inst.,
and return on Wednesday evening, 30th inst.
do

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE STEAMSHIP

Prince Alfred.

CAPTAIN F. C. SHOLL.

Carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will leave Victoria for
San Francisco on or about the 11th and 25th of
each month.

For Passage or Freight apply to
BRODRICK & Co., Agents,
Wharf street.

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SHIP "NATION'S HOPE" FOR MELBOURNE.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR PAS-
sengers is offered by the above vessel to leave
Victoria about the 20th inst. For particulars
apply to Dickson, De Wolf & Co., Store street.
A CHIEF OFFICER is wanted for this ship.
CAPT. L. T. BATEMAN.

Steamer Enterprise

WILL LEAVE FOR NEW WEST
minister on Tuesday, Dec. 23d and Dec 30th
returning on Wednesday following in the
week. do

Post Office.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain, Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred.	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia.	Monday and Thursday 2 P. M.	Tuesday 10:30 A. M.; Thurs- day 5:30 P. M.
New Westminster, Carri- boo and Intermediate Offices.	Thursday at 4 P. M.	Tuesday at 5:30 P. M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices.	Thursday at 5 P. M.	Daily, at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.
Esquimalt.	Daily at 10:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon. Wednesday, 9 A. M. Thursday, 9 A. M.
Metichosin.	Monday, 1 P. M.	
Saanich.	Thursday, 10 A. M.	
Sooke.	Monday, 3 P. M.	

MONEY ORDERS.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.
For MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money
Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster. ja1

Post Office, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871.

Notices.

Notice.

URIAH NELSON IS PREPARED TO UN-
dertake the prompt forwarding of Freight from
Yale to Cariboo, and will have teams in readiness to
transport Merchandise from Queenstown to William
Crook.

He will not hold himself responsible for damage to
Oils and Liquids shipped in, or in glass, or for un-
avoidable detention caused by breakage of bridges
or roads, or for loss or damage to goods through any
other contingency beyond his control, unless by spe-
cial contract made in writing in respect of such Goods
at the time of shipment. ap18

Department of Marine & Fisheries.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

AN IRON BEACON HAS BEEN PLACED
on the extreme Eastern Fath of Gabriola
Islet, Straits of Georgia.

The Beacon shows an Iron Cage Ball 8 feet in diam-
eter, painted black, 25 feet above high water mark.
Mariners should not approach the Beacon within
half a mile. JAMES COOPER, Agent.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 13th, 1873. oc14 2m

NOTICE.

WHEREAS GILBERT TOMPKINS, late
of the Mainland, British Columbia, Baker,
was adjudged a Bankrupt on the 15th day of Decem-
ber, 1873, Notice is hereby given that the said
Gilbert Tompkins is hereby required to surrender
himself to Charles E. Pooley, Registrar of the said
Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held be-
fore the said Registrar on Monday, Twelfth day of
January, 1874, at noon precisely, at the Supreme
Court Office, Victoria; and also to the Court at the pub-
lic sitting to be appointed by the Court for the said
Bankrupt to pass his last examination, of
which sitting due notice will be given in the
"Government Gazette" and British Colonist. At the
first meeting of creditors the Registrar will receive
the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Credit-
ors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the
Bankrupt's estate and effects. At the public sitting
proofs of debts of creditors will also be received, and
the Bankrupt will be required to submit himself to
be examined and to make a full disclosure of all his
estate and effects and to finish his examination.
Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the
said Bankrupt or that have any of his effects not to de-
liver the same but to Charles E. Pooley, Official As-
signee, whom the Court has appointed, and give no-
tice to Mr. Theodore Davis, Solicitor, Easton street,
Victoria, B.C. C. E. POOLEY, Registrar.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL
only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other
Payments to be made to me. L. LOWENBERG
do30

MR. HELMOKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE
in Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the
morning, or at his residence, June 8 Day, in the
evening. mb4

Public Notice.

Corporation of the City of Victoria:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UN-
less the taxes due to the Corporation be paid, we
will forthwith issue a warrant to recover the same un-
der the 26th section of the "Municipality Act Amend-
ment Act, 1873."
"In case any person neglects to pay his taxes for
fourteen days after a demand has been made, the Col-
lector shall, by himself or his agent, levy the same
with costs, by distress or sale, or in any other way
person who ought to pay the same, or if any goods or
chattels in his possession wherever the same may be
found within the Province. THOS. RUSSELL,
Municipal Clerk, Oct. 31, 1873. Collectors M. C.
21st Nov., 1873. oc22

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia,

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
(after this date) any person or persons who shall
be found removing any stones, earth or gravel from
any public street or streets within the limits of the
City of Victoria, or from any street or streets within
the limits of the City of Victoria, or from any street
or streets within the limits of the City of Victoria,
without having first obtained the permission of the
Mayor and Council for the Street, or any goods or
chattels in his possession wherever the same may be
found within the Province. By order of the Mayor and Council.

WM. LEIGH, C.M.C. no1

City Clerk's Office, Oct. 31, 1873.

Belmont Tanning and Boot and Shoe

Manufact'g Co., Limited.

NOTICE—A SEVENTH CALL OF TEN PER
cent upon the Capital of the Company was re-
solved on and made this 6th December, 1873, and
was paid on or before the 6th January next, at the
Bank of British Columbia.

By order of the Directors, J. C. BALES, Secretary.

Victoria, 6th Dec., 1873.

Dissolution of Partnership.

CHARLES OPPENHEIMER HAS THIS DAY
retired from the firm of
OPPENHEIMER BROTHERS.
YALE, B.C., Oct. 7th, 1873. no18

Boots and Shoes.

R. MAYNARD,

Occidental Buildings, Fort Street.

Just Received Per PACIFIC,

SHOE LEATHER & FINDINGS

IN GREAT VARIETY,

Uppers of every Description and Quality

READY FOR BOTTOMING.

BOOTS & SHOES MADE TO ORDER

on Cash Paid for Hides. do30

VICTORIA

BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY

Government st., next to the New Post

Office, Victoria.

W. HEATHORN, Prop'r.

BOOTS AND SHOES NOW SUPPLIED
with considerable reduction on former
Rates. A Large Assortment (suitable for the
Fall Trade) now on hand.

Wholesale Agents—Welch, Rithet & Co.

Wharf street.

BOOTS & SHOES Made to Measure,

LEATHER & FINDINGS FOR SALE. do

selpham

WILLIAMS' STAGES

WILL COMMENCE TO-DAY MAKING

Regular Trips between Victoria and Esquimalt
and Return; and between Victoria and Saanich, and Return as
follows:

Carrying MAILS & PASSENGERS.

Will leave Victoria for Esquimalt—Daily
at 8 a.m., 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Will leave Esquimalt for Victoria—Daily
at 9:30 a.m., 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Will leave Victoria for Saanich every

Wednesday at 9 a.m.

Return—Will leave Saanich for Victoria
Same Day at 4 p.m. J. W. WILLIAMS, Prop'r.

New Custom House Blanks
FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY
at the COLONIST OFFICE.

W. & J. Wilson,
GENERAL OUTFITTERS,
1873
CLOTHING,
HOSIERY,
SHIRTS,
GLOVES, &c.
New Designs
in
OXFORD SHIRTS,
Scarfs, Collars
&c.
GOVERNMENT STREET
(Opposite the Post Office)</

The Plot Thickens.

In the course of his very eloquent speech on the dock scheme, on Monday, Mr. Duck let slip some remarks tending to show that the public are not yet fully aware of the nature of the plot by which the present Ministry propose "raising the wind." That gentleman alluded to the failure of the Dominion Government to fulfill its engagements with British Columbia in so far as the commencement of the railway within the stipulated period was concerned, and he plainly intimated that the fifty thousand pounds promised by the Canadian Premier in lieu of the dock guarantee is to be regarded in part as in the nature of compensation for the non-fulfilment of the railway covenant. It must be admitted that this gives the proposal a very serious aspect indeed—one calculated to make both the people and their representatives pause and ponder. By far the most important part of the Treaty of Union still remains to be fulfilled by Canada. Default has already been made in respect of the commencement of the performance of the most vital covenant. British Columbia cannot tell what action it may yet be necessary to take with a view to enforcing the treaty provisions or seeking redress or compensation for failure on the part of Canada. She has already protested. So far well. But is the present time to condone the non-fulfilment of Canada's obligation and thereby waive all further claim upon her by accepting any sum, last of all the paltry sum of twenty-two thousand pounds by way of compensation? In former articles we urged as an objection to the scheme the fact that it partook of the nature of opening up and tampering with the Terms of Union at the very moment when our only true safety lay in taking a firm stand upon the Treaty and insisting upon its fulfilment; but the secret so innocently let slip shows that the case is immeasurably worse—that it is actually proposed absolutely to sell out our treaty grievance for a contemptible sum and serious compromise ourselves with Canada so far as being able hereafter to insist upon the fulfilment of the Terms of Union is concerned! It was bad enough, in all conscience, to insert the small end of a wedge destined to shatter the basis of the Provincial credit into smithereens and scatter the Federal subsidies to the four winds; but the proposition to make a compromise by accepting twenty-two thousand pounds as compensation for the non-fulfilment of the Terms of Union on the part of Canada is as much worse as the whole Treaty is more important than a part of it. Verily the plot thickens, and if we do not greatly misread the current of events, the full peridy of the plotters will be sufficiently manifest before long. Meanwhile let the public eye be kept open.

The Muller Orphanage.

It is now several weeks since we gave a brief sketch of the rise and progress of the orphanage on Ashley Down, Bristol, by Mr. Muller, many years ago, and the wish was expressed that some information bearing upon its more recent condition might be contributed. A lady subscriber, who, while on a visit to England some three years ago, was shown through the orphanage, has kindly furnished us with information of recent date. The institution, which it was seen by a former article, had such a small beginning, has grown year by year until it comprises 2,208 orphans, with 52 day schools, 28 Sunday schools and 8 adult, all wholly supported by its funds. The amount expended during the last year covered by the information before us was upwards of £41,537,16,10; that is to say, in the management and maintenance of the institution. But, in addition to internal management the sum of £10,737,14, was expended upon foreign mission work. Referring to the readiness with which the growing wants of the orphanage have been met, the directors say: "Since the institution was first formed, we have received from the Lord, simply in answer to prayer, £580,000. We have always been helped, God never failed us."

There can be no better illustration of the approved quality of the Groceries, Wines and Spirits sold by John Boyd, Patrick's Corner, Johnson street, than in the large measure of patronage that has been extended to him since he commenced business. Every article is spoken of as being the very best. Connoisseurs of Whisky declare his blend of that spirit to be unequalled in this market for delicacy of flavor and general excellence. The blend will no doubt prove very attractive to families and others during the approaching festive season.

JEWELRY.—J. L. Jungerman, the well-known Jeweler of Government Street, has, in addition to his ordinarily large and fine selection of fine goods, received by the last steamer, many of the richest kinds of Jewelry of the latest manufacture. These were imported expressly with a view to supplying purchasers for the ensuing holidays. Also, the richest solid silver and electro-plated ware will be found there. Prices reduced to meet holiday trade.

Old Chicory is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at its premises on Fort Street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

New Advertisements.

Mr. Edgar Dewdney

Will be a Candidate for Re-election to the Commons for the Yale-Kootenay District at the ensuing Election.

To the Electors of Victoria District.

GENTLEMEN—I shall be happy to meet as many of you as can make it convenient to attend at the following times and places, in order that I may consult your views upon certain measures materially affecting your interests:—
On Saturday the 17th inst., at Harry Wain's, at 2 o'clock p.m.
At Harry Simpson's on the same day, at 7 o'clock p.m.
At the Royal Oak, on Monday the 19th inst., at 7 o'clock p.m.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. BUNSTER.

Victoria, Jan. 6, 1874.

ROBERTSON & CARPENTER,

ALWAYS IN THE FIELD!

Government St., between Johnson and Cormorant Sts.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE PUBLIC THAT THEY ARE CARRYING ON

Blacksmithing, Wagon and Carriage Building

In all the Different Branches.

Mr. C. CARPENTER, recently arrived from California, an experienced Eastern Carriage Builder, will conduct the wood department, and will give particular attention to Repairing and Building Carriages, Buggies, Wagons and every work connected with his branch of business. None but the best Eastern Timber used.

MR. W. A. ROBERTSON will carry on the Blacksmithing department, and in returning thanks to the public for past favors, would call their attention to the following:
We do Horseshoeing and Jobbing.
Forging of all kinds of Ironwork used in a new country, such as Mill and Shipwork, Miners', Stone Cutters' and Masons' Tools.

We call the attention of Farmers to our excellent

Scotch Canadian Plows,

Equal if not Superior to the best ever imported into the Province.

Old Iron Plows fitted up with our Steel Mould Boards are better than new.

A STABLE beneath the shop for the accommodation of farmers' teams.

Orders from the country solicited and promptly attended to.

Charges Moderate to suit the times.

N.B.—We have on hand and for Sale:

4 Lumber and Farm Wagons,

1 Spring Wagon, 1 Superior Sulky,

1 Double-seated Sulky,

And several Plows.

CALL AND INSPECT.

W. A. ROBERTSON, C. CARPENTER.

NOTICE

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the British Columbia Benevolent Society will be held at Mr. R. E. Jackson's office, Bastion street, at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday, the 14th inst. By order.

T. H. LONG, Hon. Sec'y.

Mr. Henry Nathan

Will be a Candidate for re-election to the Commons for Victoria City at the ensuing election.

PRIVATE SCHOOL.

MRS. SIDNEY WILSON WILL REOPEN her school at her late residence, on the corner of Blanchard and Johnson streets, on Monday the 12th inst.

Pupils wishing for Private Lessons from Mrs. or Miss Wilson in Music, Singing, French or Drawing, can make arrangements for doing so by calling upon Mrs. Wilson at the school between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., or after those hours, at her residence on Frederick St.

Victoria, Jan. 5th, 1874.

THOS. TROUNCE,

Architect, &c.,

OFFICE, ON KANE ST. ABOVE DOUGLAS.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREFULLY prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed.

FOR SALE.

A FARM WITHIN A VERY SHORT DISTANCE of Victoria, partly cleared and partly covered with timber. It would be a good investment, if only for the firewood upon it, which amounts to millions of cords. Apply at THE COLONIST Office between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

ANNIVERSARY BALL.

THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTHDAY OF

ROBERT BURNS

Will be celebrated by a

GRAND BALL,

GIVEN BY THE

ST. ANDREWS & CALEDONIAN SOCIETY,

—In the—

PHILHARMONIC HALL, FORT ST.,

—ON—

FRIDAY EVENING, 23rd Inst.

Dancing to commence at 9 p.m.

TICKETS, Admitting Gentleman and Ladies, \$5, including Supper and Refreshments. To be had from any of the Committee. By Order.

M. LORIMER, Sec'y.

(Standard copy.)

French Benevolent Society.

A PREPARATORY MEETING OF THE above Society will be held at the Deaf House on Sunday, 11th day of January, at 2 o'clock p.m.

The object of the meeting is to hear the reports of the Secretary and Treasurer and also to introduce any amendments which may be brought forward in the interests of the Society.

The General Meeting for the Election of the Committee will be held on Sunday, the 25th day of January, at the same place from 2 to 4 o'clock.

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VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE VOTERS of Victoria School District will be held at the Council Chambers, Broad Street, on Wednesday the 14th inst., at twelve o'clock noon.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,

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January 8th, 1874. ja1

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Notices.

NOTICE.

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Victoria, Dec. 20, 1873. do30

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Nomination and Election of Seven Councillors to serve during the ensuing Municipal year, will take place at the City Council Chambers, Broad street, on Monday, the 12th January, 1874, at 12 o'clock, noon, viz:

Three Councillors for Yates Street Ward.

Two " for Johnson Street Ward.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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Jan 6.—Str Otter, Lewis, Burrard Inlet	OLKARED.
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Jan 6.—Gen. Harney, Lloyd, Ft Townsend	

First Provincial Legislative Assembly.

THIRD SESSION.

TUESDAY, Jan. 6th.

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:05 o'clock.

NOTICES.

Hon. Mr. Walkem gave notice of an intention to introduce The Ferry's Act, 1874; The Execution Against Lands Act, 1874; The Real Estate Tax Amendment Act, 1874.

Mr. Hunter—For copies of all correspondence, etc., connected with the granting of a charter for a trail now or about to be given to Wm. Moore from the head of navigation on Skeena River to Dease Lake.

Mr. Hunter—To ask what was the date and nature of a certain promise in accordance with which the charter for the bridge at the Forks of Quessoune was renewed against the expressed wishes of the people of the District.

CORONER'S JURY BILL.

Hon. Mr. Walkem moved the second reading of this Bill, which provides for the extension of the law now in force on the Island to the Mainland, which constitutes a jury of six a legal body.

The bill was committed. Mr. Hughes in the chair. It passed the Committee, was reported complete and was read a third time and passed in the short space of 4½ minutes.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES.

Mr. Smith moved the second reading of the Agricultural Societies Incorporation Act Amendment Bill. The hon. member stated the object of the Bill, which was intended to give the Government power to give such societies unlimited quantities of land so that if the Societies saw fit to organize a model farm they could do so. The bill also gave them power to invest funds in bond or mortgage.

The bill was committed. Mr. Saul in the chair.

Mr. Booth moved that clause 4 be struck out. He stated that this clause put the Societies in the power of a Government; if a corrupt Government ever got into power here they might use their power to reward or punish a society. He would prefer to let societies regulate their own possessions.

Mr. Smith replied that the clause was intended to apply to societies who were weak and struggling. He scouted the idea that the land grants would be used as bribes by corrupt governments.

Mr. Booth here withdrew his amendment to strike out clause 4 and moved to add that no society with less than 25 members shall be entitled to an appropriation.

The amendment was carried.

Hon. Mr. Walkem moved to insert an additional clause to provide for the incorporation of the Societies without the subscription of any sum of money. Carried.

The Bill was reported complete with amendments.

MARRIED WOMEN'S PROPERTY.

Mr. Smith moved the second reading of the bill to amend the Married Women's Property Act.

The hon. member said that the Bill passed last session did a little more than justice to women and proceeded to point out that although a married woman might be engaged in business she could reserve all her earnings for her own use and refuse to assist in the support of her own children. No woman of natural feelings would object to support her own children; but all knew that there were instances where both men and women seemed to be actuated by anything but natural feelings, and he did not think that any such person should have it in her power to act in property with regard to her family.

Mr. Smith said that the hon. member had said something about the "natural feelings" of a woman. (Laughter.) He would therefore move to refer the Bill to six bachelors of the House as a Select Committee.

Mr. Semlin didn't think that a Committee of all bachelors could do justice to feminine "natural feelings," and hoped that half the committee would be married men. (Laughter.)

Mr. Humphreys hoped that time would be given hon. members in which to look through and understand the Bill. He was opposed to hasty legislation.

The Bill went over till Friday.

LAND AMENDMENT BILL.

Mr. Smith moved the second reading of this Bill and stated that its object was to allow land to be pre-empted as of old, and that after a settler had received a certificate of improvement to the extent of \$250 per acre he should receive a grant of the same without paying any money. The land laws at present were very complicated and the intention of the Bill was to allow every bona fide settler to get land for nothing [hear, hear]. So far as the exchequer of the Province was concerned it would make very little difference; but to the hardworking settler free land would be a great boon. If the Province was ever to be settled it must be by a free grant system. We want immigrant settlers and the only way to induce them to come and stay with us was to give them land for nothing.

Hon. Mr. Beaven denied that the present land system worked unsatisfactorily, and thought that as the Government and the hon. senior member for Lillooet intended to introduce a measure of the kind, it would be better to refer all three measures to a Select Committee.

Mr. Smith favored the reference of the Bill to a Select Committee for fear of doing harm by hasty legislation.

Mr. Booth, while agreeing with the principle of the Bill, hoped that it would be sent to a Select Committee, so that all the Land Bills and Acts might be consolidated into one.

Mr. Smith agreed to reference to a Select Committee, to be composed as follows: Messrs. Beaven, Semlin, Robson, Smith, Humphreys, Hughes, McCreight and Hunter.

Mr. Humphreys called on the House not to longer cumber the statute-books of the Province with such laws respecting

lands as now existed. He trusted that a simple form of acquiring land would be adopted.

The motion was finally carried. Mr. Smith wanted to know why the women hadn't as good a right to go to a Select Committee as the land (laughter). He now moved that the Married Women's Property Bill be referred to a Select Committee.

The Speaker ruled the motion out of order.

House adjourned until Wednesday at 2 p.m.

Kootenay.

Monday was Kootenay Day in the Legislative Assembly. First of all, the senior member for the District (Mr. Mara) moved for returns of all correspondence between the Government and the late Gold Commissioner at Kootenay, relating to the dismissal of the Gold Commissioner and Constables; and when these returns came before the House the hon. member will doubtless know what to do with them. He next asked the Attorney-General what steps, if any, were to be taken by the Government towards carrying out the pledge made last session, that a County Court Judge would be sent to Kootenay, to reside there at least six months in the year. In reply to this very pertinent and proper question, the Attorney-General simply referred the hon. member to certain reports and correspondence relating to the subject of the status and duties of those gentlemen commonly known as Stipendiary Magistrates, and their relations to the Provincial Government, which was, in fact, no answer at all; it had no bearing whatever upon the subject. And so Mr. Mara thought and expressed himself. It is to be hoped that this sort of thing will not be repeated. The right of members to put questions to Ministers in this way is universally acknowledged; and to treat a proper question as the Attorney-General treated this one is very much like offering insult to the House. It is much as if a member should, after due notice, ask the Attorney-General whether it is the intention of the Government to introduce a Bill for the purpose of amending the School Act, and that official should reply, "Yes, the King of the Cannibal Islands is dead!" As may be inferred from the question put by Mr. Mara, during last session that gentleman strongly urged upon the Government the wants of his constituents in this respect, and extorted from them a "pledge" that a County Court Judge would be sent there to reside at least six months in the year. Nothing of the kind was done, however, and the Government would seem disinclined to state the reasons why. The inference is inevitable that they either have no reasons to offer, or that the reasons will not stand the light.

But perhaps the most important matter brought under the notice of the House was that of establishing a military post on the frontier. The resolution is of sufficient importance to justify us in giving it verbatim, which the crowded state of our columns prevented yesterday:—

"That, whereas the mining camps of Wild Horse and Perry Creeks, owing to their isolated position and close proximity to the American border, cannot rely on protection from this Province in case of an attack by Indians; and whereas the Blackfeet and other hostile tribes of Indians are frequently camped in the District; and whereas there is a feeling of insecurity in the minds of the Farmers of the District, which greatly retards settlement; Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, praying that he will urge upon the Dominion Government the immediate necessity of carrying out the recommendation of the late Adjutant-General Ross, by establishing a Military Post in or near the Kootenay District."

The hon. member for Kootenay made an able and argumentative speech in support of this resolution. He sketched the position of those communities and interests on the frontier, and dwelt upon their present and prospective importance. He explained the reasons and circumstances which rendered a military post most desirable, if not an absolute necessity—circumstances which had not failed to impress Col. Robertson-Ross with the necessity. The remoteness of these communities from the Provincial centre, and the difficulties of gaining access, especially during the winter season, rendered it out of the question for the frontier settlers to rely wholly upon the local Government for succor in the event of an attack from Indians. He proceeded to explain the close proximity of the Blackfeet, by far the most powerful and dangerous tribe of Indians, and pointed out the injurious influence arising from the feeling of isolation and insecurity inseparable from such a condition of things; he referred to the terrible Indian massacre in Minnesota, and to the numerous of trouble brewing among our own Indians beyond the Cascades which had so recently agitated the community; and concluded by urging the local Government to place the matter in the strongest light before the Dominion Government, alluding to the fact of the Federal Parliament having been dissolved and the consequent remoteness of its meeting as an additional reason for the subject being taken up here.

The resolution was seconded by the member for Nanaimo, who dwelt upon the salutary influence the establishment of a military post at that point would exert upon the progress of settlement and general development of well-being in that important District. He considered the question a national as well as a Provincial one. That being the only point at which British Columbia came into immediate contact with her powerful neighbor, it was both politic and important that the Province should put on a good face and give practical demonstration of how she protects the life and property of the subject and maintains and enforces the institutions and laws of the country. He dwelt upon the large and important interests of that portion of the Province. Not only did it possess great mineral wealth, which had as yet scarcely been disturbed; but it was found to possess a pleasant and healthy climate, rich soil, and, in short, all those resources and conditions calculated to attract and sustain a large and prosperous population. But there existed the difficulty so well alluded to by the member for the District—the feeling of isolation and insecurity; and there was the best reason for believing that this feeling alone seriously retarded settlement. He concluded by urging the Government, in the strongest terms, to place the recommendation before the Dominion authorities, backed up and enforced by such cogent arguments as the Attorney-General knows so well how to

present. He made a feeling appeal to the Government, saying that should intelligence of an Indian massacre in that District unfortunately reach us, we might have to experience the keenest pangs of self-reproach, should we fail to do our duty in this matter.

The Attorney-General promised that the Government would send forward the recommendation backed up by the strongest report; and the Resolution was carried by acclamation. There seems every reason to hope that the desired results will be promptly attained.

County Court.

(Before Judge Pemberton.)

MONDAY, 6th Jan.
Parker vs Parker—Claim for \$56. Judgment for \$42.
Saunders vs Crown—Judgment for \$62.90.
Brown vs Alsop—Jury case, adjourned to 13th January.
Sohl vs Maud Stewart—Claim for \$72 Judgment for \$48.28 and costs.
Court adjourned till Monday next.

Supreme Court.

(Before a full Bench.)

TUESDAY, Jan. 6th.
Young, and others vs F. R. Beet Sugar Co.—Mr. McCreight concluded his argument in behalf of the plaintiffs, yesterday, and the case will be continued this morning.

ROYAL NAVAL READING ROOM, ESQUIMALT.—It is with much regret that we have to announce, through your valuable paper, that Mr. Wilby of Esquimalt will not deliver his lecture on "The Life of a Pioneer" as stated in your journal of last week, through some misunderstanding with the Managers of the above Institution. We sincerely regret this, for the Esquimalters had anticipated a happy evening with the old Pioneer. There is still one course left open, that is for the petitioners to hire the room which they can do for any moral purpose without infringing on the rules of the Institution. Some amusement is very much required at Esquimalt to break the monotony of our long winter nights.—ESQUIMALT.

ANOTHER.—One by one the journals of Canada are giving in their adhesion to the doctrine that the Canadian Pacific Railway should be built by the Government. On this subject the Charlottetown Islander, the leading journal of the newly admitted Province of Prince Edward Island, says, "The Canada Pacific Railway Charter having been surrendered by the late incorporators, it behooves the General Government to undertake that great work themselves as a continuation of the Intercolonial."

FOR THE EAST COAST.—The steamer Sir James Douglas, Capt. Clarke, sailed yesterday morning at 7 o'clock for Comox, Nanaimo and way ports with the mails, a large freight, 100 head of sheep for Capt. Pearce, Lasquiti Island, and 20 passengers. Among those on board were, Sister of Mercy, Capt. Pearce, Capt. Egerston, F. Truckfield, J. Mandell, J. Flett and R. Wilcox. The return of the steamer on Friday is uncertain as the landing of sheep at Lasquiti Island may detain her till Saturday.

"WHISTLE, AS I'LL COME TELL YE MY LAD!"—The shrill whistling heard on Government street last evening was from an individual who wanted a policeman. He had been assaulted, had got a warrant out for the assault, and thought he had tracked one of them to an upper room in an hotel. At length a policeman came; but the whistling had alarmed the culprit and he was not to be found.

IT IS rumored that the hon. Attorney-General is about to resign his portfolio and accept the no-pay position of the Premier. Such patriotic self-abnegation on the part of the hon. gentleman would be as praiseworthy as it would be unexpected.

BURRARD INLET.—The steamer Otter towed down the ship Nation's Hope, bound for Australia, yesterday morning. The ship Wildwood will be ready for sea in a few days. Moody's mills are being rebuilt.

WHICH?—The steamer Empire having arrived at San Francisco, the question as to the name of the vessel seen bottom up off Cape Flattery a few weeks ago is still unanswered.

NEW BILLS.—Hon. Mr. Humphreys' Road Tax Repeal Bill repeals the Government Act of last session which extended the Island Act to the Mainland. The same hon. gentleman has introduced a Bill to repeal the Land Tax Act of 1873.

FAT HOGS.—At Heywood's market may be seen a number of fat Berkshire hogs, raised on Dr. Tolmie's farm near this city. The animals give evidence of fine breeding and careful feeding.

THE steamer Otter, for Cassiar, will sail with the first load of passengers and freight on the 18th or 20th of the present month.

JAMES BAY WARD.—Mr. Thos. Tronnce, architect, one of our earliest pioneers and most respected citizens, will be a candidate for civic honors in James Bay Ward.

THAT vicious measure, the Married Women's Property Bill, is likely to be rendered innocuous through the well-directed efforts of Mr. Smith.

FOR OTTAWA.—We hear the name of Capt. Roscoe for Victoria, and D.W. Gordon for Vancouver, mentioned.

NO POLICE COURT cases were offered yesterday.

MASONIC.—At the regular meeting of British Columbia Lodge No. 5, F. & A.M., the following officers were duly installed by the R. W. Deputy Grand Master, Bro. J. F. McCreight, R. W.:—Bro. W. Harrison, W.M.; Bro. T. Tronnce, S.W.; Bro. C. Thomson, J.W.; Bro. H. Saunders, Treas.; Bro. F. Gribbell, Chaplain; Bro. T. R. Mitchell, Secy.; Bro. R. Brodick, S.D.; Bro. J. Dodds, J.D.; Bro. J. J. Austen, Organist; Bro. C. C. McKenzie, Dir. of Cer.; Bro. W. J. Maston, and Bro. W. Evans, Stewards; Bro. E. J. Salmon, L.G.; Bro. J. G. Vinter, Tyler.

VANCOUVER ENCAMPMENT No. 1, I. O. O. F.—The following officers were duly installed last evening by D.D.G.P. John Weiler:—R. Roberts, C.P.; S. T. Styles, H.P.; E. Jungerman, S.W.; L. M. Hughes, S.F.; F. G. Richards, Treas.; John Spelde, J.W.

REV. MR. JENNS' SECOND LECTURE.—Rev. Mr. Jenns gave the second lecture of the series on Spectrum Analysis at the Institute last evening to a large and attentive audience. The principal object of the discourse on this occasion was to show the analogy between light and sound, in demonstrating which several interesting experiments were performed, which were received with applause by the spectators.

THE WRITS for the Ottawa elections were mailed at Ottawa on the 3d inst. They will arrive here about the 20th inst. Make your game, gentlemen!

Australasia.

(Dates from Melbourne to Oct. 9th.)

VICTORIA.

It is proposed to start a new telegraphic cable between Australia and Great Britain. A subsidy of £30,000 is asked.

The Alfred Graving Dock at Williams-town is finished. The cost was about £92,000. It is 45 feet long, but will admit vessels measuring over all 400 feet.

Coal prospecting is going on lively. It is proposed to erect a corn exchange in Melbourne.

The manufacture of woolen goods at Geelong has been managed so satisfactorily that several new factories are to be opened.

The revenue returns for the year so far have amounted to £3,809,567 15s.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Parliament is in session. It has been decided to deepen the entrance to Port Jackson by the eastern channel.

The Astronomer of the colony has established three stations for observing the transit of Venus.

Sir Alfred Stephen, C. J., has decided retire.

The quantity of coal raised last year slightly exceeded 1,000,000 tons. The single seam at Newcastle that is at present being worked, is estimated to contain coal enough to keep up that rate of production for 513 years.

THE OTHER COLONIES.

Measures are being taken to settle the boundary question.

There is a net profit of £40,000 per annum in the revenue of this colony of the expenses of Government.

In Queensland the prospects of the pastoral agricultural interest are reported to be excellent. The cotton crop of this year throughout the Ipswich district amounted to considerably over a million and a half of pounds.

The Government exploring expedition to the Endeavor River, in Queensland, has discovered rich and extensive diggings.

In South Australia efforts are being made to develop the mineral resources of the colony. The lead mines at Champion Bay are turning out very well.

THE English barrister, Mr. William Weighman, who was convicted some months ago for stealing a law book from a London Law Library, is now an inmate of Hanwell Asylum. It appears that he was labouring under a malady known as "general paralysis of the insane," a disease which, once thoroughly developed, almost inevitably proves fatal within an average period of two years. A medical man, writing to the London Times, says it is on the increase, and most commonly met with among the "bread-winners," the proportion of males to females affected by it being more than five to one. The most characteristic earlier mental symptoms of the disease are, exaggerated ideas as to wealth and property, accompanied by a blunting of the reasoning faculties, and inability to comprehend consequences, which gradually intensifies as the disease progresses. Hence the liability that occurs for patients affected with it to commit theft, and be convicted for it and imprisoned before the disease is recognized, as in Weighman's case.

SIR JOHN DUKE COLERIDGE, the new Chief Justice of England, took part, a short time ago, in a curious ceremonial. A London paper says: "On the last day of the Michaelmas Term, Sir John Duke Coleridge, who has been appointed Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, and has at the same time become a member of Serjeants' Inn, took farewell of the Honorable Society of the Middle Temple, of which for many years he had been a Bench. He presided and read prayers at the usual dinner in the hall of the Middle Temple, and the occasion was honored by the presence of a large number of the Benchers, besides a numerous gathering of barristers and students. As the Benchers left the hall, headed by Sir John Coleridge, there was a warm cheer given for the new Chief Justice. In accordance with the ancient ceremony, Sir John was led to the entrance of the hall amid the clanging of the bell in the clock tower, and was—or supposed to be—ejected from the Inn with which he has hitherto been connected.

OCEAN ISLAND.—This island is situated 50 miles south of the Equator in E. longitude, 170° Pacific Ocean. A few months ago a ship passing the Island was attracted by signal-fires. Soon several canoes came off, and the natives represented that they were all in a starving condition, there having been no rain there for eight years. The islanders, of whom there were about three hundred, were suffering from the famine. The only food which they could obtain were the tops of the cocoanut trees, which were soft and edible. The water supply was exhausted, and they were relying on brackish water, which caused debility and sickness. They begged to be taken off to any place, where they could find something to eat. The ship took off 24 of the poor creatures and landed them on Strong's Island.

A WESTERN PAPER relates as an illustration of the power of love the case of Miss Catherine Oats, of Cornwall, England, who travelled all the way to Tuolumne County, California, to wed the lover she had not seen for eight years, and found him wedded to a Mexican ranchero's daughter, and the father of only five children.

At the close of a sermon in Exeter Hall on Sunday, Dr. Parker, the well-known dissenter, said:—"I cannot but hope and believe that in less than seven years I shall preach in Westminster Abbey or in St. Paul's Cathedral?"

FALL'S COPPER, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

LONDON theatre-goers are excited over a new burlesque, "Richelieu Redressed." The great point of it is that Richelieu is the very image of Gladstone, while the Duke of Orleans presents an irresistible resemblance to Disraeli. Three Secretaries of State dodge about with their hats before their faces, for fear they should be pounced upon by the dramatic censor; but the audience, at least, has no difficulty in discovering that they are Lord Granville, Mr. Cardwell and Mr. Lowe. There are allusions to the Ashantee war, the elections, and all sorts of political questions.

The new house of the British Legation will be the largest private edifice in Washington, built of brick laid in black mortar, and with stone trimmings. The British Government is more desirous of having a large establishment than one either costly, substantial or ornamental. They will spend from \$130,000 to \$150,000 including the cost of their lot, which is three-quarters of an acre. The house itself will be 116 by 103 feet, extreme grand dimensions, with plentiful bays, verandah and a porte cochere in front. The building will be three stories and a basement in elevation, the basement ten feet in the clear, and the upper story in the Mansard roof. The British Arms will be placed over the main entrance.

A WESTERN editor met a well-educated farmer recently and informed him that he would like to have something from his pen. The farmer sent him a pig and charged him \$9 75 for it.

For bargains in Clothing (both over and under) in Hand Knit Socks, in Felt Hats, in Myrtle Navy Tobacco, go to J. H. Todd's Canadian Store, Yates street near Wharf. N.B.—Remember, no 15 per cent. duty to pay there.

CLOTHING.—R. Roberts, Merchant Tailor, Government street, next door to the London House, has received direct from the celebrated manufactory of B. Nivert, Elbeuf, France, a fine assortment of French Beaver and Doeskin, for Over coats and Dress Suits, which he is making up in fashionable styles at very low rates.

ROTATION.—As the seasons revolve, each with their peculiar interest, there is not one of the four more attractive than the "Christmas Holidays." The fact of an unprosperous past year and an obscure and unpropitious approaching new one, becomes very properly smothered in the strict observance of the season. With a full appreciation of the admirable stocks of others, temptingly reminding one of the holidays, and the utility of a full purse and generous heart, we will be pardoned for our apparent vanity, in expressing a belief that unlike them the specialties we have adopted for the occasion would do credit to any city of importance, Juvenile books, beautifully illustrated, and other attractive and instructive incentives to knowledge. Also, a general assortment of Gift Books for those more mature. Handsome Church Services and Prayer Books, a few chaste and beautiful Geographic Pictures in appropriate frames, such as would adorn any respectable room; Photographic Albums, etc. To enumerate other attractions becomes painful. T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

A RAFFLE is proposed representing a real value of \$225 00, to be divided into one hundred and fifty chances, at \$1 50 each. There are eleven articles to compete for. The highest throw is to have the privilege of the first choice, and consecutively graduating the choices according to the numbers thrown. The articles comprise, eight Geographic Pictures all handsomely framed. These are fine Masterpieces of Art. Also three Imperial quarto books, profusely illustrated. One is replete with Photographs from original engravings in the British Museum. Another is The Vision of Purgatory and Paradise, by Dante Alighieri, illustrated with the designs of M. Gustave Dore. Also by the same Artist "Atala" by Chateaubriand, equally fine. These articles are upon exhibition, and the list for those who wish to take their chances is open for inspection at T. N. HIBBEN & Co's.

A. GILMORE has just received a large assortment of Canadian and English Custom-made Clothing, which he will sell at Reduced Prices; therefore the public are invited to call and select for themselves and make their purchases before going elsewhere.

PROF. RUTAN'S Singing Classes will commence in the large hall, COLONIST BUILDINGS, on Monday evening, 22d December, at 7½ o'clock.

THE NEW GOODS lately received by Thos. Wilson & Co., the oldest dry goods firm in Victoria, consist of Hosiery, Estamones and other Dress Materials, Tweeds, Ruffings and Frillings, Lace Collars, Lace and Silk Ties and Bows, Black and Colored Silk Fringes, Dress Trimmings, Swiss Embroidery, Dent's real Kid Gloves with Tassels and 1 and 2 Buttons, new styles in Dark Prints and Derrys.

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LADIES, do not fail to examine our stock of Fall Boots and Shoes, Children's Shoes especially. Branch Japanese Store, Government street.

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